

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY CAPE TOWN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3940  
INFO AMCONSUL DURBAN  
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AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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TAGS: PFOR, SF, US

SUBJ: POLICE OLYMPICS

REF: STATE 172171

1. SOUTH AFRICAN MINJUSTICE AND POLICE J.T. KRUGER TOLD AMBASSADOR, IN INFORMAL CONVERSATION AUGUST 7, THAT SAG CONSULATE IN SAN FRANCISCO HAD REPORTED POSSIBILITY OF DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST SA POLICE PARTICIPATION IN POLICE OLYMPICS. HE SAID THAT SAG, THEREFORE, WAS CONSIDERING DECLINING INVITATION. ON AUGUST 8, MINISTER KRUGER INFORMED AMBASSADOR THAT DECISION TO DECLINE HAD BEEN MADE.

2. KRUGER ISSUED PRESS STATEMENT AFTERNOON OF AUGUST 8, ANNOUNCING SA POLICE WOULD DECLINE INVITATION TO PARTICI-PATE IN S.F. POLICE OLYMPICS BECAUSE SAP "WOULD NOT LIKE TO CAUSE ANY UNPLEASANTNESS FOR OUR AMERICAN COLLEAGUES." IN ADDITION, HE AND POLICE COMMISSIONER DID NOT WANT "TO SUBJECT OUR MEN TO INCIVILITY AND HUMILIATION." WHICH COULD RESULT FROM POSSIBLE DEMONSTRATIONS.

3. COMMENT: DECISION OF S.F. MAYOR'S OFFICE (REFTEL) TO RESCIND INVITATION APPARENTLY COINCIDED WITH SAP DECISION

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TO DECLINE INVITATION. PRESS HERE HAS REPORTED SA POLICE

DECISION AND HAS NO MENTION OF INVITATION BEING RESCINDED.  
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